

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:	)	
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Application No. <b>10/539,133</b>	)	
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Filed: <b>June 15, 2005</b>	)	
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For: SOLID-STATE IMAGING DEVICE AND	)	
METHOD FOR PRODUCING SOLID-	)	
STATE IMAGING DEVICE	)	
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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to the Office communication dated September 7, 2007. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.

**ELECTION OF CLAIMS**

In response to the restriction requirement, applicant elects Group I, claims 1-14 for further examination.

In response to the species election requirement, applicant elects, Species A, the embodiment of Figures 1-2B, 4, 5, and hereby designates claims 1-11 for further examination.

Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims and/or to request rejoinder of non-elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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